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YESTERDAY'S WEATHER DATA.
Maximum temperature, 75; minimum, 59; rainfall, 0; wind, west, gentle; weather, clear.

JUSTICE HUGHES BOOM IS BEGUN IN WINDY CITY

Headquarters Not Opened, But, Says Hitchcock, "I Will Keep My Ear to the Ground"

THINKS HUGHES WILL ACCEPT

Will Be Placed in Nomination at Convention and Will Have 50 New York Votes on First Ballot; Coleman Du Pont Arrives to Take Charge of Own Campaign.

CHICAGO, May 29.—A Justice Hughes presidential boom was put under way here on the arrival of Frank Hitchcock, postmaster general in the Taft cabinet. "I am not here to open Hughes headquarters," he said, "but will keep my ear to the ground. I am confident that Hughes will accept if he is nominated by the republican party. He has not told me so but that is the way I feel. It will be hard to beat Wilson, but Hughes is the man to do it." Hughes will be placed in nomination first according to convention arrangements, Alabama yielding to Whitman of New York. Hughes will have 50 New York votes, the majority delegation, on the first ballot. The first candidate, Coleman Du Pont, arrived in Chicago today and took personal charge of headquarters. Roosevelt supporters are prepared to meet the colonel's train at 4 o'clock which passes through on the way to St. Louis for a speech.

Local Golf Team Fails to Appear in Final Matches

PENDLETON PLAYERS ELIMINATED IN TOURNAMENT AT WALLA WALLA.

Pendleton's golf team lost out in the tournament held in Walla Walla during the weekend, having been eliminated during the Saturday preliminaries. As a team the local players were defeated by both Walla Walla and Lewiston. The preliminary match was in threesomes with the best player from each city composing the first and the others grouped likewise according to their relative ability. This it was that Pendleton's best men were pitted against veteran golfers who proved too much for them in the match style of play, which consists in giving two points for each winner of a hole and one point to second man. In the medal style, which counts only the total number of strokes, Pendleton would have fared better. J. V. Tallman and W. L. Thompson were the only two Pendleton players winning their matches. Tallman won over Eastwood of Lewiston and Neal of Walla Walla, while Thompson defeated Murray of Lewiston and Smith of Walla Walla. However, the team as a whole made but 129 points to Lewiston's 198 and Walla-Walla's 204 and under the rules of the play, the entire team was eliminated from further participation. In the final yesterday Walla Walla defeated Lewiston.

Belgian Dead as Result of Being Kicked by a Mule

MORRIS DENDAUW PASSES AWAY SATURDAY AT ST. ANTHONY'S HOSPITAL.

As a result of having been kicked by a mule last week while employed at the dairy of Lester Hurst, Morris Dendauw, a young Belgian, died Saturday afternoon at St. Anthony's hospital. He was kicked in the abdomen, causing a rupture of the intestines. Peritonitis developed a day or two later and an operation failed to relieve the condition. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Catholic church. Deceased was 25 years old and a native of Belgium. He is survived by a father, Phil Dendauw of Mission, and by a cousin in this county. He was engaged to be married to a Chehalis young lady in September and she is here now to attend the funeral.

There are in existence only two important herds of fur seals, one in the Commander Islands, belonging to Russia; the other in the Pribilof Islands, belonging to the United States government. The latter is much the larger and is by far the most valuable herd of fur seals in the world.

Wilson Sounds Note For Peace New Diplomacy Urged in Speech United States Ready to Assist

WASHINGTON, May 29.—President Wilson declared here Saturday night before the League to Enforce Peace that the United States was ready to join in any feasible association of nations to preserve the peace of the world against "political ambition and selfish hostility" and in service of "a common order, a common justice and a common peace." He expressed the hope that the terms of peace which end the present war would include such an arrangement.

Outlining suggestions for peace, which the president said he hoped the United States would make when it has the opportunity to do so, he included provision for absolute freedom of the seas, a contention which has been the keystone of all the diplomatic discussions with Germany and Great Britain, and virtual guarantees of territorial integrity and political independence.

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German Attacks at Verdun Hurlled Back

Empire Builder Dead



JAMES J. HILL, railroad builder and capitalist, was seventy-eight years old. During the last few years he continued to struggle for supremacy in his chosen fields like a youth with his fame and fortune still to make. The "Empire Builder" of the Northwest, as Mr. Hill was affectionately called, was born at Guelph, near Rockwood, Ontario, Canada. His parents were Irish peasants. In 1856 he went to St. Paul, Minn., and obtained a position as a shipping clerk. Within a year he started in business as a steambot and railway agent and in 1870 became the owner of a packet operating on the Red river. From that time his rise in transportation circles was rapid.

JAMES J. HILL IS DEAD AFTER AN OPERATION

ST. PAUL, May 29.—James J. Hill, one of the last of America's empire builders, died at his home here at 9:43 o'clock today, following an operation for the removal of a carbuncle. On account of his age, 78, he was unable to resist successfully the shock of the operation.

Hill's collapse came with startling suddenness. It was late last week before any word of the seriousness of his condition was announced. It was then stated that he merely was suffering from a severe cold. Special trains began bringing relatives and friends to the bedside. On Sunday afternoon, Hill experienced a sinking spell following the operation on Friday. Mrs. Samuel Hill, a daughter, of Maryhill, Wash., reached the bedside just in time to grasp her father's hand before he died.

The considerable stage world in New York City confined to the Hebrew race and using the Yiddish tongue is again brought to notice by the recent celebration of Besse Wissmann's twentieth year on the Jewish stage. More than 2000 persons, including many high in official life, attended.

PARIS, MAY 29.—Two terrific German attacks east of Cumieres have been repulsed, following a five hour battle. It was officially announced. The Germans first charged at 7 o'clock last night, attempting to regain Thursday's losses and for an hour they struggled in vain to penetrate the French defenses, finally retreating into a ravine east of Deadman's Hill. The second assault came just before midnight in the ghastly glare of illuminating bombs the French and Germans battled hand-to-hand on the parapets of the trenches until the Teutons were hurled back into the Corbeau Woods. Frenchmen participated in 5 aerial fights Sunday, bringing down three Germans.

On the rural delivery route in Harwinton, Conn., a woman sent a live hen by parcel post to a neighbor living about a mile away. The carrier weighed the hen and canceled the stamps to the amount of about eight cents and took the hen to its destination. The hen laid an egg in the mail bag en route.

FORMER LOCAL BUSINESSMAN PASSES AWAY AT PORTLAND

ALBERT WURZWELLER SUCCUMBS TO INJURIES SUSTAINED IN FALL.

Albert Wurzweller, formerly a prominent resident of this city, died Saturday afternoon in Portland as a result of injuries sustained in a fall from the porch of his home. He had been in poor health for six months and subject to attacks of dizziness. As he stood looking over the railing Saturday, he was seized with vertigo and pitched headforemost from the balcony to the sidewalk, more than 30 feet below. The funeral was held this afternoon in Portland. Mrs. Henry Collins of this city went down yesterday and her mother, Mrs. R. Alexander, left also for Portland yesterday to attend the funeral. The wife of the deceased is a niece of Mr. Alexander and a sister of Jerome Friedman, formerly of this city.

The funeral was held at the Scottish Rite cathedral and was conducted by Rabbi Jonah B. Wise. Interment will be made in the Beth Israel cemetery. The ballbearers selected were Mose Haruh, T. Feldman, McKinley Mitchell, Preston Worthington, W. J. Patterson and Dr. J. G. Thompson. Albert Wurzweller's friends in eastern Oregon were numbered by the thousand. For years he was located at Pendleton and at Joseph.

Forged Way to Top. He was about 54 years old. In 1882 as a lad, he arrived in Pendleton, an immigrant from Germany, and at once began to make good. Rising through clerkship he in time became a successful business man here. In 1896 he left this city to locate in the same business at Joseph. In 1911 he virtually retired, going to Portland with his family to reside.

He made large investments, however, in Crook county stock land and the holdings of his brother, William Wurzweller, and himself amounted to many thousands of acres. His brother has been actively managing this business, one of the largest in central Oregon. Besides this brother, two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Rothchild of San Francisco, and a Mrs. Paik, residing in Germany, survive.

Member of Many Orders. Milton Wurzweller, the son, had just returned from California, where he was a student of Leland Stanford university.

He had been a member of the Masonic fraternity for many years and had received the Scottish Rite and Shiner degrees. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows, the Elks and the Woodmen of the World in this city.

GREEKS AND BULGARIANS ENGAGE IN BATTLE FOLLOWING INVASION

Indifference Characterized Waite



DR. ARTHUR WARREN WAITE, © INTL. FILM SERVICE.

Apparently indifferent to his fate Dr. Arthur W. Waite has maintained complete calm during his trial and conviction in New York for the murder of his wife's parents. The above photograph was especially posed in the court room and is an excellent likeness of the dentist.

Business Houses to Close During Morning Tomorrow

CITY WILL PAY HONOR TO MEN WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN BATTLE.

All business houses will close tomorrow between the hours of 9:30 and 1 o'clock while all Pendleton joins in paying honor to the dead. Plans have been completed for observing Memorial Day as it has not been observed in this city for many years.

Everyone possible is urged to go to the cemetery for the exercises in the morning. Automobile owners are urged to have their cars at the court house at 10 o'clock for the purpose of conveying as many people as possible to the cemetery. A parade, headed by the band, will start at the court house at 10 o'clock and will proceed directly to the cemetery where Rev. Rigby, a G. A. R. veteran, will make the memorial address.

Rapid Work in Concentrating Militia on Mexican Border



MILITIA CAMP AT FORT SAM HOUSTON. © INTL. FILM SERVICE.

The work of mobilizing the militia with great speed. The picture shows the Texas men in camp at Fort Sam Houston. Several of the men in the picture appear in civilian clothes as the work of mobilization progressed so rapidly that all the men were not supplied with uniforms.

Border Commanders Have Been Warned to Prevent Serious Encounters; Bulgarians Believed to Have Crossed Line to Guard Against Allied Attack; King May Still Oppose Joining France, England and Russia.

LONDON, May 29.—Brisk fighting between the Greeks and the Bulgarians was in progress today following the Bulgarian invasion of Greece. A detachment from Fort Rupel fired on the Bulgarian troops and the latter returned the shots with no serious results on either side. Greece has warned the border commanders to prevent serious encounters. It is believed that the army of Bulgarians which entered Greece did so to guard against an allied attack. The Venizelos party again is demanding that Greece join the allies. It is believed, however, that King Constantine still opposes such a move.

Addition Planned to Provide Homes for Rieth Workmen

20 ACRES OF LAND BOUGHT BY LA GRANDE INTERESTS FOR PURPOSE.

Having purchased 20 acres of land on the bluff above the railroad yards at Rieth (Pilot Rock Junction) Messrs. Oral, Warnock & Humphrey, three La Grande men are planning for opening an addition to provide homes for the railroaders at the terminal.

According to C. M. Humphrey, who was here Saturday, the first step will consist in the sinking of a well on the property so as to determine the possibility of a water supply for the community. After water is secured, the land will be platted and sold or rented, homes being erected for the terminal people.

At the present time all the employees at the junction are living in homes improvised from box cars set on side tracks. More than 25 families are living in this manner and the necessity of homes for the men is becoming pressing.

While here the a Grande men expressed surprise that Pendleton had not taken more interest in the terminal and that local people have not taken up the task of erecting houses down there. In the belief of Mr. Humphrey quite a few trainmen who do not have to live here, La Grande or Pendleton being optional with them, will move to the new terminal, here if proper homes can be obtained. With a good road between Pendleton and the junction these families will be virtually tributary to Pendleton. Most of the employees of this class own autos, he states.

Wheat Weaker One Cent in Chicago

CHICAGO, May 29.—(Special to the East Oregonian.)—Today's range of prices:

	Open	High	Close
May	\$1.06 1/4	\$1.07	\$1.07 A
July	\$1.05 1/4	\$1.06 1/4	\$1.07 1/2

Portland, Ore., May 29.—(Special)—Club 88; blue-stem, 98.

Liverpool, May 27.—Wheat—Spot No. 1 Manitoba 11s 1d (\$1.73 2-5 per bu.); No. 2, 11s 9d; No. 3, 11s 7d; No. 1 northern spring, 11s 10d; No. 2 red western winter, 11s 5d (\$1.66 1-5 per bu.).

SENATE PASSES HARBORS BILL

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The senate passed the rivers and harbors bill, appropriating forty-two million dollars.

FRANK S. CURL RE-ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF REPUBLICANS

CENTRAL COMMITTEE NAMES OTHER OFFICERS AT MEETING SATURDAY.

Frank S. Curl of Pendleton was Saturday afternoon re-elected chairman of the republican central committee of Umatilla county, at the organization meeting of the committee in the city hall.

Marion Jack was chosen as state committeeman and Thomas Thompson as congressional committeeman. Osmer Smith acted as temporary secretary but the permanent secretary will be filled by appointment by the chairman.

The meeting proved a very harmonious one despite rumors which had been floating about that an attempt would be made by several disgruntled ones to wrest the control of the organization. There was a big representation, 56 of the 64 precincts in the county being represented either by the elected committeeman or a proxy. Several speeches were made by committeemen and all agreed that indications are very favorable for republican successes at the polls this fall, in county, state and national politics. The central committee decided to go down the line for the entire ticket.

Annual Rose Show Here to be Made Brilliant Event

FLORA ASSOCIATION MAKING PLANS; PRIZES TO BE ANNOUNCED LATER.

At a meeting of the Pendleton Floral Association Saturday evening at the city hall the organization decided to put on another annual exhibit of Pendleton roses.

The opinion was unanimously expressed that the prospects of a fine display was never better, the crop abundant, and quality good.

On account of the severe winter, blooming is delayed but the cold and (Continued on page eight.)

Bulletin Posted Declares a Break With Mexico Near

GAVIRA DENIES ALL KNOWLEDGE AND SAYS WARNING IS RIDICULOUS.

EL PASO, May 29.—General Gavira denied knowledge of the source of a bulletin posted in the Mexican quarter requesting Mexicans to register at their consulates because a break between the United States and Mexico appeared imminent. He said the warning was "ridiculous." The notice stated that the trouble might come to a head within a week.

MEXICO, May 29.—The source which originally gave out the report that a special messenger was on the way to Washington with an 8000 word message for Wilson from Carranza, flatly denied the story today. It was said it was baseless. Mexican officials refused to discuss either report.